Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Monday 23 Sep 2024 until 23:59 on Tuesday 24 Sep 2024

Forecast Issued on Sunday 22 Sep 2024 at 14:03

Confidence: Generally high but moderate for exact timing and location of the heaviest downpours.

Headline for Monday 23 Sep 2024: Overcast with periods of hill fog and outbreaks of heavy rain.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 23 Sep 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms Medium Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** High Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG						
Fog	Fog	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	80%	80%	60%

Forecast for Monday 23 Sep 2024

Weather: Overcast with persistent outbreaks of rain for much of the day, likely bringing widespread low cloud, mist and hill fog. Rain turning heavy at times with a chance of hail and thunder. Rain perhaps turning patchier later in the day, though remaining cloudy alongside an ongoing risk of rain and drizzle.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 30%

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud with bases dropping around 300-400m through much of the day, resulting in periods of hill fog, reducing visibility. Heavy downpours of rain will further reduce visibility and clarity across scenic viewpoints of the park.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/9 E	4/7 NE	5/7 NE	7/9 N	8/10 N	9/12 N	10/14 N	9/13 N	8/11 N
300	3/7 E	2/5 NE	2/5 NE	3/7 N	4/7 N	4/9 N	5/10 N	4/9 N	4/8 NW
Valley	2/6 SE	2/4 NE	2/4 N	3/6 N	3/7 NW	4/9 N	3/9 N	4/10 N	4/10 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/11	12/11	11/11	12/10	12/11	12/11	11/9	11/9	10/8
300	14/14	13/13	13/13	13/13	14/14	14/14	13/13	12/12	12/11
Valley	14/14	14/14	13/14	14/14	14/15	14/14	14/14	13/13	12/12
Freezing Level*	2700m	2600m	2700m	2700m	2700m	2800m	2700m	2600m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be prepared for sudden heavy downpours on Monday bringing a risk of strong gusts of wind and brief spells of possible lightning and hail.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Sat 21 Sep 2024	10.6mm	10.8mm	10.8mm

Forecast for Tuesday 24 Sep 2024

Weather: A drier and brighter day compared to Monday. Some patchy low cloud possible to start, with some hill fog in places, though this generally lifting and breaking through the morning allowing some bright and sunny spells to develop, particularly by the afternoon. Although much of the park will remain dry, there is a chance of the odd light shower. Feeling fresher and not as humid as recent days.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 15-20 mph, gusting 25 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40% rising to 80% from midday.

Low cloud and visibility: Some low cloud around 400-500m to start, this covering hill tops at times creating hill fog, though this lifting and breaking fairly quickly through the morning, allowing generally good visibility through the afternoon outside of showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8 Celsius, rising to plus 15 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 7 Celsius, rising to plus 9 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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